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INFO AMEMBASSY RANGOON

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PASS CUSTOMS

E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: UNCTAD, EGEN, UNDP

SUBJECT: UNCTAD/UNDP STUDY TOUR FOR SENIOR CUSTOMS
OFFICIALS

REFERENCE: (A) CUSTOMS 9480, (B) GENEVA 12812

1. REFTEL (A) CROSSED OUR REFTEL (B). BELIEVE REFTEL (B),
WHICH WAS ROUTED TO CUSTOMS, ANSWERS MOST OF OUTSTANDING
QUESTIONS.

2. WE HAVE INFORMED UNCTAD OF CUSTOMS VIEWS AND THEY HAVE
FORMULATED NEW PROPOSAL FOR CONSIDERATION WITH FOLLOWING
ELEMENTS:

(A) ITINERARY. AS 24 DAY TOUR APPEARS ACCEPTABLE TO
CUSTOMS, UNCTAD PROPOSES BURMESE START SAN FRANCISCO
JANUARY 30 ARRIVING FROM BANGKOK ON PA 6 JANUARY 27 AND
LEAVE FOR BRUSSELS ON SABENA FLIGHT FROM NEW YORK NOT LATER
THAN FEBRUARY 24. THEY SUGGEST PARTY PROCEED FROM WEST
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COAST VIA NEW ORLEANS AND MIAMI TO WASHINGTON.

(B) PROGRAM. SUBJECTS OF INTEREST ARE SMUGGLING
PREVENTION TECHNIQUES, PROCEDURES AND TYPES OF EQUIPMENT.
REPETITION IN PROGRAM NOT HARMFUL AND CAN BE MINIMIZED WITH
HELP OF ESCORT OFFICER.

(C) FUNDING. TICKETS WILL BE SECURED BY UNDP RANGOON ON BASIS YOUR PROPOSED FLIGHT PLAN. PER DIEM IS FIFTY DOLLARS PER DAY PLUS FOUR DOLLARS EACH ARRIVAL AND DEPARTURE FOR TRANSPORTATION.

3. UNCTAD ALSO SUGGESTS THAT EMBASSY RANGOON MAINTAIN CONTACT WITH MR. WATTS, THE UNDP RESIDENT REPRESENTATIVE IN RANGOON, SO AS TO KEEP HIM DIRECTLY INFORMED OF PROGRESS ON THESE ARRANGEMENTS. VANDEN HEUVEL

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